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Dear Harold:

Thanks very much for sending the book, also the clips from the London Sunday Times and the Frederick papers. All Very welcome. I'm enclosing a check to cover your various costs, and for payment in advance for one copy of Post Mortem when it gets into print.

We see no reason whatever to disagree with your conviction that now is the time to bring it out, if it's ever going to be. I hope I'm wrong, but I suspect its initial success (initial only) will depend much upon the breaks. However I have no doubt that sooner or later it will, like your other books, take hold more and more and assume its proper place in the literature. And, like you, we feel that with the right breaks it can make even a big splash at first. It all depends on what's going on at the time. Let's hope.

Best from us both,

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